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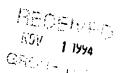
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## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97, a list of documents is disclosed on the attached Form PTO-1449.

The documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 were cited and supplied to the Patent and Trademark Office in the parental application, Serial No. 07/476,961, filed February 7, 1990, now U.S. Patent No. 5,242,798, and Serial No. 07/058,621, filed June 3, 1987, now U.S. Patent No. 4,900,811, the benefit of whose filing dates are claimed herein. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.98(d), it is understood that only a list of art is required inasmuch as the art has been provided and discussed previously.

No inferences should be drawn that the attached list represents a comprehensive investigation, or that any material disclosed is equivalent to the subject invention. In addition, none of the documents that have publication dates prior to the priority date of the above application anticipate the invention in this application.

The cited documents disclose numerous specific features. There has been no attempt to list each and every feature disclosed by each document. The Examiner is requested to review the documents and determine the extent of the materiality of the document disclosures with respect to the present invention.

The discussion of any art and the citation of any document herein is not to be construed as an admission that the art or document disclosure is necessarily within the invention field of endeavor, that the art or document disclosure is necessarily prior in time to a particular date which may be relevant to the instant patent application, and/or that the art or document disclosure is otherwise necessarily prior art as defined by the patent law with respect to the instant invention and application.

Also, there is reserved the right to later set forth how the instant invention is distinguished over the disclosure of any document or other art, including the disclosures of the art and documents recited herein, that may be cited by the Examiner in rejecting a claim in the instant patent application.

The recitation herein of the art and documents is not to be construed as an assertion that more pertinent art could not possibly be in existence.

No further fee or Petition is believed to be required. However, should any further fee be required please charge our Deposit Account No. 04:1644 and deem this paper to be the required Petition.

Respectfully submitted,

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